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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT

## MAIL STOP PATENT AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 3, 2006. Applicants request a one-month extension of time to respond to the office action (September 3 being a Sunday and September 4 being a Federal Holiday). Prior to substantive examination of the above-identified patent application Applicants respectfully request the entry of the following amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.